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PART I

Punjab Government Notifications and Orders

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS

(CPA Branch)

NOTIFICATION

The 19th March, 2020

No.5/9/2017-5CPA/227.-With reference to the Government of Punjab, Department of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Notification. No. 5/9/2017-5CPA/51, dated the 18th November, 2019 and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 53 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 (Central Act No.1 of 2010), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab after consultation with the Central Government is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2013, namely:-

RULES

1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Legal Metrology (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2020
(2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of publication of this notification on the official Gazette.
2. In the Punjab Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2013, (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in rule 3,-
(A) in sub rule (1), for the words “him in this behalf”, the words and sign “him in this behalf, along with fee as specified in Schedule X,” shall be substituted;
(B) for sub rule (2), the following sub-rules shall be substituted, namely;
“(2) (i) On receipt of application for grant of license under sub-rule (1) in the form as specified in Schedule IV, V and VI, it shall be examined by the Controller and if it is found to be in order, the Controller shall issue a license to the applicant of manufacturer, repairer or dealer, as the case may be, in form as specified in Schedule VII, VIII and IX, respectively.
(ii) In case the license issued under sub-rule 2 (i) is required to be amended on following grounds, namely:-

- (a) Change in the name and address of the firm; or
- (b) change in the proprietors, partners and change in the name of company's Director, as the case may be; or
- (c) change in weight and measures; or
- (d) the licensee intends to get a duplicate license issued; or
- (e) any other reason,

such licensee, shall make an application to the Controller specifying the reasons for the proposed amendment or a duplicate license, as the case may be, respectively.”; and

- (C) for sub-rule (7), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(7) Every Manufacturer, Dealer and Repairer licensed under this rule shall furnish a security deposit to the Government as specified in the Schedule –XV.”

3. In the said Rules, in Rule 9, in sub-rule (2),-

- (i) for the words "rupees one hundred", the words “rupees two hundred and fifty” shall be substituted; and
- (ii) In the first proviso, for the sign, letters and figures “@ Rs. 3000/-”, the words “at the rate of four thousand and five hundred rupees” shall be substituted .

4. In the said Rules, for Rule 17, the following Rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“17. Fee for compounding of offences. The fee for compounding of an offence under the said Act, shall be such as specified in Schedule-XIX , for respective category of offenders, subject however, to the maximum fine as specified under the relevant provisions of the Act, under which such offence falls.”

5. In the said Rules for the existing Schedules X, XV, XVII and XIX, the following Schedules shall, respectively, be substituted, namely :-

“Schedule– X

[Rule 3(1), (2), (3) & (4)]

License and renewal fees for manufacturers, repairers and dealers of weights and measures

Serial No.	Name of License	Fee per year(in rupees)
1	2	3
1	Manufacturers	10,000.00
2	Repairers	4,000.00
3	Dealers	2,000.00

Schedule –XV

[See rule 3(7)]

Security to be deposited by existing/ new license issued to Manufacturer,

Dealer and Repairer of Weights and Measures

Serial No.	License	Security Deposit (in rupees)
1	2	3
1	Manufacturer License	15,000.00
2	Repairer License	7,500.00
3	Dealer License	5,000.00

Schedule-XVII

[See rule 9(1)]

Fee payable for verification and stamping of weights and Measures and weighing and Measuring Instruments

1. (A) Bullion Weights

Serial No. (1)	Denomination (2)	Fee per piece (in rupees) (3)
1	10 kg	60.00
2	5 kg	40.00
3	2 kg	40.00
4	1 kg	40.00
5	500 g	30.00
6	200 g	30.00
7	100 g	30.00
8	50 g	30.00
9	20 g	30.00
10	10 g	30.00
11	5 g	30.00
12	2 g	30.00
13	1 g	30.00
14	500 mg	30.00
15	200 mg	30.00
16	100 mg	30.00
17	50 mg	30.00
18	20 mg	30.00
19	10 mg	30.00
20	5 mg	30.00
21	2 mg	30.00
22	1 mg	30.00

(B) Carat Weights

Serial No. (1)	Denomination (2)	Fee per piece (in rupees) (3)
1	100 g (500 c)	40.00
2	40 g (200 c)	40.00
3	20 g (100 c)	40.00
4	10 g (50 c)	40.00

5	4 g (20 c)	40.00
6	2 g (10 c)	40.00
7	1 g (5 c)	40.00
8	400 mg (2 c)	40.00
9	200 mg (1 c)	40.00
10	100 mg (0.5 c)	40.00
11	40 mg (0.2 c)	40.00
12	20 mg (0.1 c)	40.00
13	10 mg (0.05 c)	40.00
14	4 mg (0.02 c)	40.00
15	2 mg (0.01 c)	40.00
16	1 mg (0.005 c)	40.00

(C) Cylindrical Knob Type Weights

Serial No. (1)	Denomination (2)	Fee per piece (in rupees) (3)
1	10 kg	40.00
2	5 kg	40.00
3	2 kg	30.00
4	1 kg	20.00
5	500 g	10.00
6	200 g	10.00
7	100 g	10.00
8	50 g	10.00
9	20 g	10.00
10	10 g	10.00
11	5 g	10.00
12	2 g	10.00
13	1 g	10.00

(D) Sheet Metal Weights (other than Bullion)

Serial No. (1)	Denomination (2)	Fee per piece (in rupees) (3)
1	500 mg	10.00
2	200 mg	10.00
3	100 mg	10.00
4	50 mg	10.00

5	20 mg	10.00
6	10 mg	10.00
7	5 mg	10.00
8	2 mg	10.00
9	1 mg	10.00

(E) Iron hexagonal, knob type weights and parallelepiped weights

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	50 kg	50.00
2	20 kg	40.00
3	10 kg	40.00
4	5 kg	40.00
5	2 kg	30.00
6	1 kg	20.00
7	500 g	10.00
8	200 g	10.00
9	100 g	10.00
10	50 g	10.00
11	20 g	10.00
12	10 g	10.00
13	5 g	10.00
14	2 g	10.00
15	1 g	10.00

(F) Standard Weights for testing of high capacity Weighing Machines

Serial No.	Denominations	Fee Corresponding to Max permissible relative error 0.5/10000 (In rupees)	Fee corresponding to Max permissible relative error 3.3/10000, 1.7/10000 & 1.0/10000 (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	100 kg	75.00	50.00
2	200 kg	150.00	100.00
3	500 kg	300.00	200.00
4	1000 kg	750.00	500.00

5	2000 kg	1500.00	1000.00
6	5000 kg	3000.00	2000.00

2. Capacity Measures

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	100 litre and above	200 for the 1st 100 litre plus 12 for every additional 100 litre or part thereof subject to maximum of 5000.
2	50 L	100.00
3	20 L	40.00
4	10 L	40.00
5	5 L	20.00
6	2 L	20.00
7	1 L	20.00
8	500 ml	20.00
9	200 ml	20.00
10	100 ml	20.00
11	50 ml	20.00
12	20 ml	20.00
13	10 ml	20.00
14	5 ml	20.00
15	2 ml	20.00
16	1 ml	20.00

3. Length Measures:**(A) Non-Flexible**

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	2 m	20.00
2	1 m	20.00
3	0.5 m	20.00
4	1 m graduated (at every cm)	40.00
5	0.5 m graduated (at every cm)	40.00

(B) Fabric Plastic/Woven/Steel tapes

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Up to 5 m	1.00
2	Above 5 m and up to 10 m	2.00
3	Above 10 m and up to 15 m	3.00

4	Above 15 m and up to 30 m	6.00
5	Above 30 m and up to 50 m	10.00
6	Above 50 m and up to 100 m	20.00
7	Above 100 m and up to 200 m	40.00

(C) Folding Scales

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	1 m	20.00
2	0.5 m	20.00

(D) Surveying Chain

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	30 m	200.00
2	20 m	200.00

4. Beam Scale Class A & B.

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	200 kg	800.00
2	100 kg	600.00
3	50 kg	300.00
4	20 kg	300.00
5	10 kg	300.00
6	5 kg	200.00
7	2 kg	200.00
8	1 kg	200.00
9	500g and below	120.00

5. Beam Scale Class C & D

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	1000 kg	400.00
2	500 kg	400.00
3	300 kg	400.00
4	200 kg	200.00
5	100 kg	200.00

6	50 kg	40.00
7	20 kg	40.00
8	10 kg	40.00
9	5 kg	30.00
10	2 kg	30.00
11	1 kg	30.00
12	500 g and below	20.00

6. Non automatic Weighing Instruments- Analogue(Mechanical) Class III and IV

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Above 300 t up to 400 t	6000.00
2	Above 150 t up to 300 t	4500.00
3	Above 10 t up to 150 t	3000.00
4	Above 5 t up to 10 t	1500.00
5	Above 3 t up to 5 t	750.00
6	Above 1500 kg up to 3 t	600.00
7	Above 300 kg up to 1500 kg	450.00
8	Above 200 kg up to 300 kg	300.00
9	Above 25 kg up to 200 kg	150.00
10	Above 15 kg up to 25 kg	100.00
11	Above 500 g up to 15 kg	50.00
12	Up to 500 g	25.00

7. Non-automatic Weighing Instruments (Digital) Class III and IV

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Above 300 t up to 400 t	6000.00
2	Above 150 t up to 300 t	4500.00
3	Above 10 t up to 150 t	3000.00
4	Above 3 t up to 10 t	1500.00
5	Above 1500 kg up to 3 t	750.00
6	Above 300 kg up to 1500 kg	400.00
7	Above 20 kg up to 300 kg	300.00
8	Up to 20 kg	150.00

8. Non-automatic Weighing Instruments- both Analogue(Mechanical) and Digital (Electronic) Class I and II .

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Above 50 t	4500.00
2	Above 10 t up to 50 t	3000.00
3	Above 1 t up to 10 t	1500.00
4	Above 50 kg up to 1 t	750.00
5	Above 10 kg up to 50 kg	400.00
6	Up to 10 kg	300.00

9. (A) Automatic Weighing Instrument

Serial No.	Denomination	Fee per piece (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Above 100 t	6000.00
2	Above 50 t up to 100 t	4500.00
3	Above 10 t up to 50 t	3000.00
4	Above 1 t up to 10 t	1500.00
5	Above 50 kg up to 1 t	750.00
6	Above 10 kg up to 50 kg	400.00
7	Up to 10 kg	300.00

(B) Automatic Rail weighbridge: Rs 5000.00 for each load receptor

Rs 5000.00 for totalizing device

(C) Automatic Instrument for Weighing Road Vehicles in Motion

Rs 5000.00 for each load receptor

10. Volumetric measuring instruments

A	Dispensing pumps each pump with totalizing counter	Rs 2250.00 per unit
	Additional Totalizing counter	Rs 750.00 per unit
B	Other instruments Exceeding 100 litre	Rs 750.00 for the 1st 100 litre plus Rs. 350.00 for every additional 100 litre or part thereof per unit
	Not exceeding 100 litre but exceeding 50 litre	Rs 750.00 per unit
	Not exceeding 50 litre but exceeding 20 litre	Rs 400.00 per unit
	Not exceeding 20 litre	Rs 300.00 per unit

11. Flow Metres

Flow rate up to 100 litre/min.	Rs 3000.00 per unit
Above 100 litre/min up to 500 litre/min	Rs 4500.00 per unit
Above 500 litre/min	Rs 7500.00 per unit

12. Linear Measuring Instruments

Taximeters , Auto rickshaw meters	Rs 150.00 per unit
Other meters	Rs 75.00 for the 1st 1000 m or part thereof plus Rs. 7.50 for every additional 100 m, or part thereof per unit

13. Clinical Thermometer

Clinical thermometer	Mercury in glass	Rs 5.00 per unit
	Digital type	Rs 10.00 per unit

14. Water Meter (Domestic Type)

Rs 40.00 per unit

15. Peg Measure

Capacity 30 ml , 60 ml, 100 ml	Rs. 75.00 per unit
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16. CNG Dispensers

Dispenser	Rs. 5000.00 per nozzle
Totalizer	Rs. 1000.00 per totalizing unit

17. LPG Dispensers

Dispenser	Rs. 5000.00 per nozzle
Totalizer	Rs. 1000.00 per totalizing unit

18. Counter Machine

Serial No.	Capacity	Fee per unit(in rupees)
1	Up to 10 kg	100.00
2	Above 10 kg	150.00

19- Blood Pressures Measuring Instrument: Rs 20.00 per unit.**SCHEDULE – XIX**

[See rule 17]

Compounding fee for various offences

Sr. No.	Name of offence	Section	Penal Section	Compounding fee (in rupees)	
				Individual or HUF or Prop or Firm or Partner of firm or Society or Director of Society or Trust or Trustee	Company or Director of Company or Government or Local Authority
1	Use of weight, measure	8(3)	25	5000.00	25000.00

	or numeration other than the Standard weight, measure or numeration				
2	Manufacture of weight or measure not conforming to Standards	8(4)	27	10000.00	20000.00
3	Transaction or dealing or contract in respect of goods etc. by weight, measure or number otherwise than prescribed.	10	28	5000.00	10000.00
4	Quote or make announcement or issue or exhibit of price list or charging of price otherwise than in accordance with standard unit of weight or measure or numeration.	11	29	5000.00	10000.00
5	Demanding or receiving any articles or thing or service in excess or less than the quantity specified by contract or agreement.	12	30	5000.00	10000.00
6	Maintenance of records, registers by manufacturer, dealer or repairer and production of weight, measure document, register on demand	15(2), 17	31	3000.00	5000.00
7	Manufacturer of weight or measure without license	23	45	10000.00	20000.00
8	Repair / sale of weight or measure without license	23	46	3000.00	5000.00

9	Use of unverified weight or measure in transaction or protection	24(1)	33	2000.00	10000.00
10	Sale of weight or measure without verification	33	33	2000.00	10000.00
11	Sale or delivery of commodities by non-standards weight or measure	34	34	3000.00	5000.00
12	Rendering service by non-standard weight or measure	35	35	3000.00	5000.00
13	Tampering with license	47	47	10000.00	20000.00
14	Provision of any rule made under the Act	53(3)	53(3)	3000.00	5000.00

Note : Compounding fee for offences relating to Packaged Commodities falling under section 18 read with sub-section (1) and (2) of section 36 and section 29 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009, shall be as prescribed under the Legal Metrology Packaged Commodities Rules 2011.

Sd/-

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The 12th March, 2020